Land Revenue Remissions in Bagepalli Taluk.

Q.—747. **Sri B. V. NARAYANA REDDY** (Bagepalli-Gudibanda).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) whether they sanctioned remissions for the years 1951-52, 1952-53 and 1953-54 in Bagepalli Taluk;

(*b*) the years wherein land revenue was postponed in this taluk;

(*c*) whether it is a fact that Rs 12,000 was recovered for remission during 1954-55 in certain parts of Bagepalli Taluk?

A.—**Sri Kadidal MANJAPPA** (Minister for Revenue and Public Works).—

(*a*) Yes. The question of remission of Land Revenue Assessment for 1953-54 is under investigation.

(*b*) 1951-52, 1952-53.

(*c*) No.

Rural Water Supply in Shimoga District.

Q—752. **Sri S. R. NAGAPPA SETTY** (Shimoga).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) the number of villages in Shimoga Taluk where drinking water wells are not provided (the names of the villages and their population may also be given);

(*b*) the number of wells that are to be dug and the number of wells that are under construction; the amount provided and when the works will be completed;

(*c*) the facilities provided to the villages which are on the bank of Tunga River for drinking water where the well water is saltish;

(*d*) whether they intend to construct steps to the river bund to help the villagers to carry water from the river?

A—**Sri T. CHANNIAH** (Minister for Public Health and Local Self-Government).—

(*a*)—

1	Channamambapura ..	160
2	Singanahally ...	184
3	Chikkamarsa ...	198
4	Dyavanakere ...	247
5	Koragi ...	199
6	Sidlipura ...	34
7	Kasipura ...	122
8	Harige ...	228
9	Bannikere ...	150
10	Suttakote ...	180
11	Anapinakatte ...	196
12	Doddadanavadi ...	114
13	Muddenakoppa ...	63
14	Kunehosur ...	130
15	Malligenahally ...	160
16	Chinnamane ...	145
17	Rattehalli ...	210
18	Yennekoppa ...	83
19	Doddamuthli ...	160
20	Thuppur ...	88

(*b*) (i) 24:

(ii) Rs. 27,050.

(iii) within about six months.

(*c*) Drinking water wells have been provided to such places.

(*d*) Yes.

Vidhana Soudha.

Q.—759. **Sri S. H. THAMMAIAH** (Krishnarajanagar).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) whether there is an estimate for the construction of Vidhana Soudha and if so, the amount of the estimate;

(*b*) the reasons for not furnishing the amount of the estimate on page 400 of Volume I of the Budget Estimates for 1955-56;

(*c*) whether tenders are being invited for the various items of work and if not the reasons for not doing so;

(*d*) the names of the several contractors concerned with the constructions;

(*e*) the total amount actually spent up-to-date on this work?

A—**Sri K. HANUMANTHAIYA** (Chief Minister).—

(*a*) Yes. About Rs. 102 lakhs.

(*b*) The detailed estimate has not yet been sanctioned by Government.

(*c*) Tenders or quotations are being called for for most of the items of work. The rest of the work is being attended to departmentally.